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TO AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S 'ID AL ADHA GREETING

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO
PRESIDENT ASAD ON THE OCCASION OF 'ID AL ADHA:

2. QUOTE. DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON THE HOLY OCCASION OF
'ID AL ADHA I AM PLEASED TO CONVEY MY REGARDS AND BEST
WISHES TO YOU AND TO THE SYRIAN PEOPLE. I SINCERELY WISH
YOU THE BLESSINGS OF HEALTH AND HAPPINESS IN THE COMING
YEAR AS WE WORK TOGETHER FOR GREATER PROGRESS TOWARD A JUST
AND LASTING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. SINCERELY,
GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

3. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT OF MESSAGE
BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF SARG WISHES TO DO SO. SISCO

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